

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Fourth Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
October - December 2002**

Juvenile Court **Henderson**
Court Number **39**

Southwest Region

October - December 2002 **196 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **181 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
1	OR	0.42% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
1	OR	0.42% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
3	OR	1.27% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
4	OR	1.69% Assault
0	OR	0.00% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Burglary
4	OR	1.69% Theft of Property
2	OR	0.85% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
0	OR	0.00% Burglary
1	OR	0.42% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
8	OR	3.39%	Other Drug Offenses
3	OR	1.27%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.42%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	OR	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00%	Escape
2	OR	0.85%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
7	OR	2.97%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Harassment
0	OR	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
10	OR	4.24%	Disorderly Conduct
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00%	Gambling
53	OR	22.46%	Traffic
0	OR	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00%	Contempt of Court
4	OR	1.69%	Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
19	OR	8.05%	Unruly Behavior
63	OR	26.69%	Truancy
6	OR	2.54%	In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
1	OR	0.42%	Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00%	Judicial Review
18	OR	7.63%	Administrative Review
2	OR	0.85%	Foster Care Review
23	OR	9.75%	Custody
0	OR	0.00%	Visitation
0	OR	0.00%	Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00%	Child Support
0	OR	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00%	Consent to Marry
0	OR	0.00%	Other

236	OR	100.00%	Total
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Of the 196 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

236 Referral Sources

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83	OR	35.2% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
18	OR	7.6% Were Referred By Parents
20	OR	8.5% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
75	OR	31.8% Were Referred By School
1	OR	0.4% Were Referred By CSA
24	OR	10.2% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
6	OR	2.5% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
7	OR	3.0% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.4% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
1	OR	0.4% Other
236	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 196 Cases, There Were 236 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

106	OR	44.9% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
49	OR	20.8% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
14	OR	5.9% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
67	OR	28.4% Does Not Apply
236	OR	100.0% Total

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Of The 196 Cases:

Type Of Detention

3	OR	1.5% Non-Secure Placement
1	OR	0.5% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
192	OR	98.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
196	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

3	OR	1.5% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
192	OR	98.0% Does Not Apply
1	OR	0.5% Other
196	OR	100.0% Total

During October - December 2002 Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

181 Children

Age of Child At Referral

29	OR	16.0% Birth Through Age 10
12	OR	6.6% Ages 11 Through 12
30	OR	16.6% Ages 13 Through 14
66	OR	36.5% Ages 15 Through 16
43	OR	23.8% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
1	OR	0.6% Unknown/Not Reported
181	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

113	OR	62.4% Male
68	OR	37.6% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
181	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

146	OR	80.7% White
27	OR	14.9% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
8	OR	4.4% Mixed Race
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
181	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 181 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

3	OR	1.7% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

45	OR	24.9% Living With Both Biological Parents
3	OR	1.7% Living With Father And Stepmother
15	OR	8.3% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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73	OR	40.3% Living With Mother
10	OR	5.5% Living With Father
16	OR	8.8% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
9	OR	5.0% Living With Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Group Home
4	OR	2.2% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
3	OR	1.7% Living Independently
1	OR	0.6% Unknown
2	OR	1.1% Other
181	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

162	OR	89.5% Were Enrolled In School
17	OR	9.4% Were Not Enrolled In School
2	OR	1.1% Unknown
181	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

9	OR	5.0% Too Young For School
6	OR	3.3% Pre-School
3	OR	1.7% Finished Kindergarten
3	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 1
3	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 2
1	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 3
2	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 4
8	OR	4.4% Finished Grade 5
9	OR	5.0% Finished Grade 6
7	OR	3.9% Finished Grade 7
24	OR	13.3% Finished Grade 8
24	OR	13.3% Finished Grade 9
22	OR	12.2% Finished Grade 10
14	OR	7.7% Finished Grade 11
1	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
9	OR	5.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
36	OR	19.9% Unknown
181	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

39	OR	21.5% Were Enrolled In Special Education
105	OR	58.0% Not Enrolled In Special Education
37	OR	20.4% Unknown
181	OR	100.0% Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

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The Following Are The

		341 Specific Case Outcomes
25	OR	7.33% Case Dismissed
0	OR	0.00% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
48	OR	14.08% Warned/Counseled
12	OR	3.52% Held Open For Review
0	OR	0.00% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
35	OR	10.26% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
3	OR	0.88% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
6	OR	1.76% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
6	OR	1.76% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
14	OR	4.11% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
3	OR	0.88% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
27	OR	7.92% Fine
25	OR	7.33% Public Service
8	OR	2.35% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
1	OR	0.29% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
1	OR	0.29% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
1	OR	0.29% DCS Commitment - Determinate
7	OR	2.05% DCS Commitment/Custody
2	OR	0.59% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
3	OR	0.88% Other Intensive Probation
9	OR	2.64% DCS Probation
12	OR	3.52% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
4	OR	1.17% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
39	OR	11.44% Court Costs
2	OR	0.59% Foster Care Terminated
11	OR	3.23% Foster Care Continued
23	OR	6.74% Custody Changed
8	OR	2.35% Custody Unchanged

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1	OR	0.29% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
5	OR	1.47% Other
341	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the	236	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
162	OR	68.6% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
2	OR	0.8% Disposed By The YSO
72	OR	30.5% Other
236	OR	100.0% Total

Of The	196 Cases Disposed,		
The Action Used To Dispose/Adjust	Each Of The	236	Referral Reasons Was:
28	OR	11.9% Dismissed	
0	OR	0.0% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>	
66	OR	28.0% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	
19	OR	8.1% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	
62	OR	26.3% Informal Adjustment	
0	OR	0.0% Pretrial Diversion	
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing	
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court	
53	OR	22.5% Special Proceeding	
1	OR	0.4% Review Concluded	
7	OR	3.0% Case Held Open	
0	OR	0.0% Other	
236	OR	100.0% Total	